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In re application of:

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For: Development System with Methods for Assisting a User with Inputting Source

Code

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AMENDMENT

Examiner: Booker, K.

Non-Compliance See paper #12

See paper # 12!

In response to the Office Action mailed September 12, 2000, please amend the above-referenced patent application as shown below.

In the claims:

Please amend claims 7, 10, 13, and 14 as shown below. Please cancel claims 1-6, 8, 9, 11, and 15-20, without prejudice to pursue in a continuation application. All remaining claims are shown below for the Examiner's convenience. Claims that have not been changed are shown in small print.

1. - 6. --CANCELLED--

7. (Amended) [The method of claim 4,] <u>In a development system, a method</u> for assisting a user with inputting source code for a computer program, the method comprising:

detecting a need for assisting the user with input for a source code module under development;